


REMARKS

Consideration of the above-referenced application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

The present application was restricted into the inventions of claim Groups I, II and III as recited at page 2 of the Office Action. Applicants' elect to prosecute the invention recited in Group III without traverse.

The Group III invention is directed to claim 36. Claim 36 is directed to a method of treating the exhaust stream of an engine, comprising flowing the exhaust stream into contact with the catalyst member of claim 1 or claim 19. Accordingly, the application has been amended to incorporate the limit of claim 1 into claim 36 and new claim 46 which is based on original claim 36 and claim 19. The dependency of various claims depending from claims 1 and 19 has been amended to depend from claims 36 and 46.

Entry of the proposed amendment and examination of the application as amended is respectfully requested. If for any reason, the Examiner believes that direct contact with applicants' attorney would advance the prosecution of this application to finality, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number given below.


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